FISCAL NOTE

SB 2422

January 25, 2002

SUMMARY OF BILL: Specifies that home rule municipalities which have adopted ordinances to prohibit false threats or hoaxes involving biological weapons, destructive devices, or weapons of mass destruction may recover actual administrative expenses incurred as a result of any prohibited threat or hoax. Current law limits penalties for violation of ordinances of home rule municipalities to a maximum of \$500.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase Local Govt. Revenues - Less than \$100,000 / Permissive

Estimate assumes to the extent home rule municipalities enact ordinances regarding such threats or hoaxes and impose the administrative costs of such incidents as a penalty to violators, these local governments will experience an increase in revenues. The amount of such increase depends on the number and magnitude of such incidents but is estimated to be less than \$100,000.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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